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## Recent Social Events In Diplomatic Circle

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## Washington Folk Seen In the Passing Throng And the Social Whirl

The ambassador of Spain, Senor Don Juan Riano, will be joined the middle of this week by Senora de Riano, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wardman at Hot Springs, Va., for a fortnight. Later this week the ambassador and Senora de Riano expect to go to Newport for the remainder of the month.

Miss Elizabeth Howe, daughter of Mrs. Emerson Howe, is expected to take place before he sails for Europe, where he will be looking for a new position.

The charge d'affaires of the Netherlands legation, Dr. Hubrecht, will return the middle of the week from a leave of absence he has been for about ten days.

The secretary of the Swiss legation

The ambassador of Peru and Senora de Peset were hosts at luncheon early last week at the Valley View Inn, near the Homestead at Hot Springs, Va. Later in the week they were among the guests at the

The military attache of the French embassy, Col. George A. L. Dumont, accompanied by his assistants, the air attache, Capt. Georges Therault, and Lieut. Labat, motored to Quantic Wednesday and were guests of Gen. Butler, who took them on a tour of inspection of the marine base.

The military attache of the Japanese embassy, Mr. Gen. Hatsutaro Haraguchi, has returned from several weeks spent in the north.

August. The ambassador and Lady Geddes have spent six weeks in their home in England and returned to New York Friday when the ambassador came to Washington and Lady Geddes went direct to Dark Harbor.

The minister of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes and Mme. Grouitch will leave Washington Friday for Dublin, N. H., where they will be guests for the week end of former Secretary of the Treasury Mr. Franklin MacVeagh. Next week the minister and Mme. Grouitch will leave for New York and will return to Washington on Monday.

The naval attache of the British embassy, Capt. Sidney R. Bailey, has been transferred from his post in Washington to that of naval attache to the British embassy in Rio de Janeiro.

September 9. — The minister of Switzerland, Mr. Marc Peter, who joined Mme. Peter and their children in their cottage at Dark Harbor, Maine, last week will not return to Washington until the first of September, when the children will be with him.

The minister of the Dominican republic, Licdo Emilio C. Joubert, will return this week from a short stay in New York.

The minister of China, Mr. Sao-Ke

Alfred Sze, will come to Washington shortly from Woods Hole, Mass., where, with his three children who have been in school in England, he went Friday to join Mme. Sze in their cottage there.

The minister of Bolivia and Senor 4. Bellini, accompanied by their

him here the first of September.

The commercial attache of the Netherlands legation, Dr. Andreae, returned yesterday from a short stay in New York and is with Mme. Andreae in their cottage in the Adlon-dacks.

When Mr. and Mrs. McDonald left for their wedding journey she wore a traveling dress of dark blue and a

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Goebel of 111 5th street northeast, announce the marriage of their daughter, Marion Grace, to Mr. Thomas C. Absher on Wednesday, Aug. 12.

August 9, the Rev. Leslie Bowers, pastor of the Fifteenth Street Christian Church officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Elsie King, and Mr. James Ford attended the groom as best man. The ceremony took place immediately after the ceremony Mr. Absher and his bride left for a trip to the north and after September 1, will be a home at 24 16th street northeast.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Lena Mae Tate to Mr. John Hawkins Napier, jr., Tuesday afternoon August 22, at Calvary Baptist Church. Miss Tate is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Francis Tate, of Mississippi. Mr. Napier is of the home and his bride will make their home

The minister of Finland, Mr. Axel Leonard Astrom, will return today from New York, where he has been since the middle of the week.

The minister of Colombia and Mme. Olaya will return to Washington this autumn. They will join their son here and will open their country home, Langley Park, at Chillum, Md.

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### South Carolina Society To Renew Activities

The newly appointed Panama minister to South America, Senor Don Joseph E. Lefevre, who has been charge d'affaires of the legation here for several years, was the guest of honor at dinner Thursday evening of

The charge d'affaires of the Polish legation and Mme. Kwapiszewska will entertain a company at dinner Wednesday evening.

The charge d'affaires of the Austrian legation and Madame Prochnik have leased the house at 1851 Wyoming avenue, which was occupied for several years by Mr. and Mrs. Wasephus Daniels when the former was Secretary of the Navy in the cabinet of President Wilson. The offices of President Wilson will be moved to

the new house by the first of September.

Miss Violet Emerson James of Boston, sister of Madame Prochnik, is at present on a furlough, and it is expected upon his return to the city he will call a meeting of the committee. Mr. Stephen F. Tillman, the military writer, who is a member of the committee, has returned from a visit to the mid-western states. Miss Pearl Clark, another member of the

The secretary of the Peruvian embassy, Dr. Alfredo Gonzales Prado, left Washington yesterday on a three-month vacation. Dr. Prado went to New York, where his marriage to